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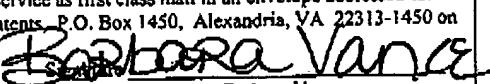
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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Dear Sir:

The following remarks below are respectfully submitted in response to the Office Action dated April 10, 2006.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.